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: Oral Administration Form for Administering a Fixed

Tramadol and Diclofenac Combination

REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This is a Reply to the Final Office Action mailed May 6, 2010 in the aboveidentified patent application.

A two-month extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and a credit card authorization in payment of the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No additional claims fees are due.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.